

CITY OF BELLEVUE
EASTGATE/I-90
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING – EASTGATE/I-90 STUDY AREA TOUR

January 15, 2011
9:30 a.m.

Bellevue City Hall
Visitor Parking Garage

MEMBERS PRESENT: Carrie Courter Blanton, Lindy Bruce, Tom Bohman, Dave Elliott, Jay Hamlin, Jeffrey Hummer, Mark Ludtka, Jim Stanton, Tom Perea, Rob Pucher, John Stokes, Cynthia Welti

MEMBERS ABSENT: Francois Larrivee, Rachel Solemsaas, David Vranizan

OTHERS PRESENT: Conrad Lee, Jennifer Robertson

RECORDING SECRETARY: Mike Bergstrom

1. Arrival and Introductions

Tour attendees arrived between 9:30 am and 9:40 am and loaded onto the Metro bus. A total of twenty-six individuals attended the tour, including twelve Citizen Advisory Committee members, two City Council members, three City of Bellevue staff, and nine interested citizens. Mike Bergstrom and Franz Loewenherz welcomed the attendees and generally explained the purpose of the tour. Deputy Mayor Lee and Councilmember Robertson also welcomed the attendees.

2. Study Area Tour

The tour began at approximately 9:40, with the bus departing City Hall. Attendees were given a tour map illustrating thirty-four points of interest, and a document containing discussion points relating to each of those 34 points. Attendees were also given post-it notes and pens to record impressions, questions, or suggestions. The notes were submitted to City staff at the end of the tour. During the tour, Mike Bergstrom and Franz Loewenherz identified the points of interest and highlighted the issues or information contained in the discussion points document.

3. Eastgate Park-and-Ride Stop

The bus stopped at the Eastgate Park-and-Ride facility at approximately 11:00 a.m. for a short break and informal discussion of the tour so far.

4. Tour Resumes

Attendees re-entered the bus and the tour resumed at approximately 11:20 a.m.

5. Return to City Hall

The tour bus returned to City Hall at 12:00 p.m. and the tour concluded.